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REF: (A) STATE 139950; (B) GENEVA 4551; (C) GENEVA 6274 OF
8 OCT 1974

1. LONG HAS CALLED MEETING OF KEY COUNTRIES (THE EIGHTEEN
POTENTIAL MEMBERS OF CONSULTATIVE GROUP) FOR MONDAY, JUNE 23.

ASSUMING ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE AGREED ON PROPOSED MEMBER-

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SHIP, AND REMAIN AGREED ON DRAFT TERMS OF REFERENCE, HE

WILL THEN PROCEED TO TRY TO GET FORMAL AGREEMENT ON ESTABLISHMENT
OF GROUP IN GATT COUNCIL IN JULY.

2. FOR WASHINGTON CONVENIENCE, WE REPEATING BY SEPTTEL
TERMS OF REFERENCE INFORMALLY AGREED OCTOBER 1974.
PLEASE INFORM US BY JUNE 23 IS U.S. FEELS IT NECESSARY
TO RE-OPEN ANY ISSUES, BEARING IN MIND DISCUSSIONS
REORTED REFTTEL (C) AND PREVIOUS.

3. WE WILL MAKE POINT THAT TERM "GATT MANAGEMENT
GROUP" WHICH HAS BEEN USED UP TO NOW IN GENEVA TO
DESCRIBE GROUP IS MISNOMER, AND SUGGEST "GATT CONSULTATIVE
GROUP" INSTEAD.

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